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SKETCHES OF OREGON
BY A NATIVE OF THE STATE
CHAPTER V

In the last Chapter it was promised that in this would be given the history of the early steamboating of the Columbia river. Before the manuscript of that Chapter had reached the hands of the printer an event occurred which the writer thinks requires something beyond a passing notice in the sketches of her native state which must be of interest to every reader who has knowledge of Oregon and Portland especially, and of her pioneers in years. The event referred to is the death of Capt. John H. Couch who was connected with the early steamboating on Oregon waters and by whom only a short time before the death was the kindly promise given to the writer of many interesting reminiscences of those early times. But, alas these can never be communicated. The lips which were to have spoken them are hushed in the last eternal sleep and that richly stored retentive memory, with all its precious freightage of men and scenes and incidents has passed into the dread, blank void which the world does call oblivion.

The writer feels that the occasion calls for a more tribute to the memory of the departed friend both from the character of the sketches and in response to that sentiment of profound respect which he, in common with every citizen, entertained for the beloved pioneer. Therefore readers will readily accept in this in lieu of the history of steamboating on the Columbia the following

EPISODE IN MEMORIAM

Capt. John H. Couch was a native of Newburyport, Massachusetts, a place noted among the oldest and most famous of the seaports and manufactories of maritime enterprises in America. He was born Feb. 21, 1811. In early boyhood he manifested a disposition to pursue a seaman's life and an opportunity was soon offered to him to follow the bent of his inclination. While yet a lad he shipped on a voyage to the East Indies on the brig Mora which sailed out of Newburyport. She was owned by an uncle of Capt. Flanders, (who has been the business associate of Capt. Couch for twenty years), and that was the first long sea voyage Capt. C. made. This sea going life was obscurely begun, and followed with such good fortune that, in 1842 the command of a vessel was given to him by the leading ship owner and great merchant of his native place the father of that eminent lawyer, distinguished statesman, and profound scholar, the Hon. Caleb Cushing. It is a noteworthy fact that this first command of Capt. Couch's was of a vessel bound for Oregon—that of the brig *Maryland*, with a venture for the Columbia River, to exchange for a cargo of salmon for the return voyage. A fair estimate can be formed of the high opinion the great merchant entertained of the integrity and masterly seamanship of Capt. Couch from the character of the service in which he employed him. Be it borne in mind that in those early days the Columbia River Bar was regarded as one of the most dangerous places on the globe and in surmise. Companies exempted it especially from risks allowed in their policies. Only the most careful and cautious seamen were entrusted with the command of vessels designed for the dangerous voyage, and few indeed cared to hazard their reputation and life by accepting command of vessels bound thither. Besides it was only to sea masters of approved integrity and of shrewd and comprehensive business qualifications, that the sale of outgoing and the purchase of return cargoes were confided. But to these prized situations Capt. Couch was, from his early manhood repeatedly distinguished, and Mr. Cushing well knew that his vessel and cargo were in safe and trustworthy hands. The voyage did not however, prove fortunate, by reason of obstacles interposed by the Hudson Bay Company influence at the mouth of the Columbia, and the *Maryland* was sent to the Sandwich Islands, there sold and Capt. Couch took passage home on another vessel.

So well satisfied was Mr. Cushing that the ill success of the *Maryland* was in no way attributable to anything in Capt. Couch's conduct and so well convinced was he that Capt. Couch was the right man for the employment that he again gave him a command, and that too of a vessel intended for the trade, and named (*Acushnet*, in compliment to a high chief of the Columbia river Indians with whom Capt. Couch had established amicable relations on his first voyage. In June 1844, the *Clackamas* reached Clackamas rapids just below Oregon City, and her cargo was taken to the latter place. Then the chief settlement of Oregon and a principal post of the Hudson Bay Company. Capt. Couch opened a merchandise house there, sent the brig home, and remained in charge of the store, by instruction of his principal, until 1847 when he started for Newburyport and made the long voyage by way of China. He reached his native city in the summer of 1848 was highly complimented by his employers for the fidelity prudence and tact with which he had conducted the business entrusted to him and was offered fresh employment. It was declined but in a few months Capt. Couch was prevailed upon to return to the Pacific coast. And accordingly late in that year (1848) a company was made up by Messrs. Brinsman, shipping merchants of New York and others, who bought the bark *Maid* and they gave Capt. Couch the command and Capt. Flanders, who had been master of vessels for several years, agreed to sail with Capt. Couch as chief mate it being arranged that Capt. Couch should remain on this coast to sell off the cargo and that Capt. Flanders should then assume command of the bark.

The *Maid* sailed from New York January 1, 1849 and arrived at Portland the following August. Ex U. S. Senator Hon. Stark W. H. Bennett W. S. Ogden and Chas. M. Kay came passengers in her. Agreeably to instructions Capt. Couch established a store here, and Capt. Flanders took command of the vessel. He made several successful voyages between the port and San Francisco, in her and finally engaged in the trading and wharf business with Capt. Couch in 1850. From the day they left Newburyport, (seventy years ago)—and such the voyage of this port, down to the day of Capt. Couch's death he and Capt. Flanders had been the most unbending friend and fondest of friends. Their pure devotion for each other and the usually cordial friendship which was ever maintained between them was like unto the devotion and friendship which existed between David and Jonathan.

While attending to the store he had established in Oregon City Capt. Couch made occasional visits to the other settlements and trading points in the section of the infant Territory. In this latter capacity careful the rough

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 25, 1870

The Labor Question.

A California paper states that recently, "the proprietors of the Pioneer Planing Mills informed their men that it was impossible to run the mill on the eight-hour system any longer, unless at a reduction of wages. The men, one and all, agreed to call ten hours a day's work. The mill will start on this system, and work as near ten hours as these short days will allow." There is a whole volume of good sense in this determination of the men to go ahead with the work instead of "striking," as has been too often the case with laborers of late. The history of strikes has been, with few exceptions, one of misfortune to the strikers. This sort of contest with capital is generally an unequal one in which the laborer gets the worst of it. If forced to it, capital can afford to lie idle awhile; labor cannot, and strikes in a majority of cases, end in suffering on the part of the laborer, and his final capitulation. In all such cases he finds that his own conduct has had the effect only to make capital more arrogant and himself more helpless than before. There may be and doubtless are cases where self-respect and self-interest combine to render a strike absolutely necessary, and then the laborer would be false to himself, his family, society and the country if he did not strike. But in a great proportion of cases these movements are inaugurated by passion or sudden impulse rather than by reason—by a philosophical view of the situation, taking into account the possible effects upon the industries of the country, upon which the laborer is utterly dependent.

In the case of the Pioneer Planing Mills, for instance: Suppose there were fifty men employed, earning bread, clothing and other ordinary expenses of themselves and families—quite a colony of laborers. Here we have a whole community dependant on the ability of the Planing Mills Co. to go ahead with work. The company could not go on at full rates, but could go on at a reduction of wages or, which is the same thing, at an increase of hours of work. Had the men followed the pernicious advice of the Workingmen's Leagues and refused to work except at the old rates, the mills must have stopped, and then per force, the fifty men must have been without employment during the winter. Viewing the matter from the laborers' stand-point—and we do no propose to present the subject from any other—would a strike in this instance have exhibited good sense?

In general, where wages are too high to permit of carrying on an enterprise except at a loss, the enterprise will stop as sure as two and two make four. Where, then, shall the laboring class, dependant upon that particular class of enterprises, look for support? It needs no argument to convince any sane mind that the more numerous and diversified the enterprises of the country; the more the channels in which capital is allowed to operate, the better for the laboring class. The increase of capital and the enterprises in which capital engages, multiplies the opportunities of the laboring man. Shut capital out of this State and the laboring classes must go out after it. These two communities—capital and labor—are inseparably necessary to each other, and neither can do violence to the other without a reactionary injury to itself. This truth is as old as labor itself, though it seems to have been ignored in the organization of most of the Labor Leagues. Whatever abuses may be practiced as exceptions to the mutuality of interests, the general rule has always been and always will be, that both interests naturally combine in the end to right things, and to keep capital and labor upon proper relations with each other.

To illustrate with matters familiar to us all: Every visitor to our State from the East, remarks with surprise upon our vast possible resources, and with equal surprise that we have developed so little of them. He does not understand why, with so many natural advantages, we have developed so few great enterprises. He cannot see why so many of our rich acres of land lie uncultivated. The invariable answer is (from capitalists, manufacturers, farmers, all,) that labor is so high as to shut out every enterprise except such as pay large profits as compared with similar enterprises elsewhere. Adventitious circumstances have enabled a few investments of capital at greatly remunerative returns. Beyond these few instances we are years and decades behind States of the East which started since or but shortly before we did. The same thing is true of California. The farmers will all tell you that they cannot raise more grain than they do because it costs them, at present prices of labor, nearly all their grain sells for, to raise and market it. Hence ships are kept away from our ports that would otherwise come here. Does not every one believe that, if we could have such a style of things as would enable all our wild [illegible] to be seeded to grain, as a living [illegible], there would be shipping lines established home to carry the grain away as fast as loaded and at rates greatly reduced from those now prevailing? Certainty of business begets lower charges, in the same way that an immense trade, enables the dealer to sell at smaller profits. The same ships that would carry away our products would bring our goods at greatly reduced freight charges, and thus the cost of living would be reduced to the laborer—making all things even, in respect of wages and subsistence. But this is not all. The enterprises of the country would be so multiplied in respect of all branches of manufactures, transportation, building, etc., etc., as to give the laborer a hundred chances for remunerative employment where he now has but one.

We hear that there are thousands of men out of employment, this winter, in California, and we know that there are hundreds out of employment in Oregon. Can the blame be attached wholly to capital. No man has a right to take capital by the throat and demand that it shall furnish employment, when there is a certainty that it must lose. The benefits of co-operation between capital and labor must be mutual. Reason and justice cannot demand more. In connection with the idle men now on this coast we hear, also, that very many of the enterprises heretofore carried on, are suspended. Here then is the secret. Capital has been compelled to withdraw, because it could not go on paying the high rates for labor, and compete with the productions of cheaper labor in eastern and foreign States. Capital never withdraws from action except upon compulsion. That it has been compelled to withdraw, is largely due to the unfortunate demands of the eight-hour leagues and the workingmen's leagues, who have demanded the old ten-hour price for eight hours of labor, and no abatement of wages in consequence of the stress to which capital has been suddenly subjected by the sharp competition which the railroad brought across the continent. As a laboring man, thoroughly identified with the interests of the working class as any man can be, we firmly believe that the operations of the eight-hour and workingmen's leagues have been disastrous to their own interests, by driving capital to the wall and rendering it powerless to help the laborer.

The New York Chamber of Commerce in a late special investigation of the causes of the decline of commerce and the general stagnation of business, arrived at the conclusion that one of the principal causes was the operations of the eight-hour and labor leagues and the strikes incited by them. Their report, among other things, says: "A constant recurrence of strikes among caulkers, carpenters and others, has certainly contributed to drive vessels seeking repairs from our own ship yards to other places, and if the determination to work on short time only and for higher wages is adhered to, the process of restoration will be difficult and slow." What is true in regard to shipping interests is equally true in regard to capital invested in any other way. Laboring men by such combinations may force capital out of the field, but they cannot force wages into existence. If they drive, by unjust demands, capital into retirement, then capital sinks and laborers starve. All the clap-trap of politicians, seeking to array laborers in hostility to capital, cannot effect anything better than to create war between two interests mutually dependent on each other, and to make enemies of those who have every earthly motive to be friends. Politicians may deceive laborers and lead them into distress, but they cannot aid them.

Editorial Notes.

The Gale part of the Olympia *Transcript* firm has blowed out. The business of the newspaper is hereafter to be conducted by Mr. Gunn. It is to be hoped that the Gunn will yet be pointed at its Democratic enemies instead of at Republican friends.

We invite special attention to the fifth chapter of "Sketches of Oregon," published in this morning's OREGONIAN. It contains an interesting biographic notice of the late Capt. Conch, and is an eloquent and touching tribute to the memory of a good man. It will richly repay perusal.

We have been without Eastern exchanges for a whole week, and during a good part of that time the telegraph line has been down, and the State mails more or less irregular. The California papers received by mail are so old as to be of little worth, and thus in the matter of freshness of our news-columns, there is little chance for boasting.

The New York *Tribune*, in reference to Sumner's position on the Cuban question, expresses the opinion that the Massachusetts Senator is getting very near the "snow line" of conservatism. However this may be, it seems he has got into the perpetual frozen regions on the question of reconstruction. He is eminently deserving the title of the Great Reconstruction Refrigerator.

We have a correspondence from Olympia stating that since the official heads of the bolters have begun to fall, the bolting faction gives evident signs of weakening. To use a phrase that is common on the Sound, and which is very pat to the occasion, the bolters are being *sinched* quite effectually. There may be a dozen soreheads—those heads that have been cut off—at the next election; probably not more.

The Colusa *Sun* (Democratic) freely admits—it even argues—that nothing can be done in politics or by legislation to regulate the grain markets or to rule the land monopolies. And yet, like many other political newspapers, we suppose it would have no hesitation in telling the workingman (just to tickle him and get his vote,) that it is the easiest matter in the world to regulate the relative terms of money and labor. Money and lands and money and grain are ungovernable; but money and labor are as tractable as well yoked and trained oxen! It is queer what freaks reason (or unreason) will sometimes take.

The proposition submitted to Senator Corbett in the Senate some time ago, to include the annexation of British Columbia among the subjects for negotiation with Great Britain, in connection with the *Alabama* claims, brings out the following note from the *British Colonist*: "It is not easy to discover what possible connection can exist between the annexation of British Columbia and the various international questions now in dispute. Possibly, however, Corbett, being of a somewhat less sentimental turn of mind than Sumner, is disposed to facilitate matters by submitting a balance sheet, wherein the colony shall form a set-off to the suppositious claims against Great Britain. Well; all these little eccentricities on the part of our neighbors may possibly have a tendency to open the sleepy eyes of John Bull to the fact that if British Columbia—British America, is worth having it is worth looking after. The owner he is convinced that he cannot *keep* it and *neglect* it, the better will it be for all parties."

We are constantly finding in the leading Democratic organs of the east—those organs that are gifted with sagacity and common sense of a degree equal to, or higher than, an average oyster—patagraphs which must convey most poignant pain to the hearts of the "White man's" advocates of this coast. What a stab, for instance, is this, from that staunch Democratic organ, the Washington *Intelligencer!* Addressing the Democracy at large, it says: "We must learn to forget; we must give up some things; give up the old constitutional ideas and something of States' rights; *give up all ideas of caste or social grades*; accept the situation as we find it, and then make the most of it." Give up all ideas of *caste* and social *grades!* And henceforth embrace the "nigger" and the Chinaman as equals! And thus "make the most" of the situation! Now, by all the Gods at once, here is a genuine "situation!" Democracy in the same *caste* and on the same *social grade* with all the inferior races! And for no better purpose than to get their votes! Let us hear from the "White man's" organs.

The other day the *Herald* had an item elicited by newspaper remarks concerning the payment of certain rebel claims by the Democratic Legislature of California, in which it designated the act of payment, "an act of simple justice." The force of this will be understood when it is stated the claimant referred to was L. P. Hall who, at the time his property was destroyed was a shameless loud-mouthed, braying traitor, using his press in the interest of the rebels, just exactly in the same way and to the same degree as did then any of the fiercely rebel newspapers within the Southern Confederacy. His conduct and language had placed him and his property beyond the protection of the United States laws as completely as had Pap Price or Guerilla Mosby. There is no reason for paying his claim that would not apply in the case of any other claim preferred by a rebel bushwhacker. If paying his claim is "an act of simple justice," then it would be equally an act of simple justice to pay the Confederate debt or to pay all Confederate rebels for the destruction of their property by the Union armies. Taking the example of the California Legislature as the rule by which to judge of what the Democracy would do, in case of succeeding to the National and State governments, we may conclude that they would instantly recognize the payment of all the rebel claims as "an act of simple justice," and proceed to levy a tax therefor.

OREGON.

The *Gazette* says: The next Teachers' Meeting for Benton county will be held March 25th and 26th, at Corvallis.....Notwithstanding the rain storm which prevailed on Thursday evening, a good audience greeted Rev. Mr. Driver, at the M. E. Church. At the close of his discourse, he presented the Cause of the Bible, and urged the County Society to do its duty in circulating the Scriptures.

We are informed that it is generally believed in the neighborhood of Glad Tidings that the human remains found there lately, are those of an old man named Alexander, who was living in that neighborhood about three years ago. Alexander was the owner of a considerable band of cattle, about which he and some of his neighbors had a quarrel in July, in regard to their running upon the open range. A few days after this quarrel he disappeared mysteriously, and has never been heard from since. Subsequently his cattle were driven away by unknown parties. It is believed that he was murdered and his body thrown into the thicket where the skeleton was found. It is designed to institute a thorough investigation of the whole matter.

From the Albany *Democrat*: Several of our physicians are complaining of the "distressingly healthy" state of the people of this vicinage at the present time. Our apothecaries don't sell a box of pills or an emetic once a week..... We learn from Deputy Sheriff John Claypool, who has just returned from Scio, that the *Scio News* will issue some time next week.....The Railroad surveying parties have completed the survey of the road to Albany and have started on south. .....Joseph Bruce who was married to a Santiam widow, has been discovered to be a naughty bigamist, having a wife and five children at the East. The widow very properly drove him out of her house. The scamp, however, managed to get off with all her property.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

THE INSANE ASYLUM PURCHASE—SQUATTER TROUBLES—COLD DAYS—DEATH OF AN OLD SETTLER, ETC.

[From the Olympia Transcript, Jan. 22.]

The buildings at Fort Steilacoom were sold at public auction last Saturday, to the Territory, for the sum of $850 currency, they being bid off by the committee appointed by the Legislature for that purpose. As is well known, they were purchased for a Territorial Insane Asylum. There are twenty-six buildings in the collection, several of them well built, and needing but very little repairs on any to make them suitable for the purpose.

We learn that for some time back efforts have been made by parties to hold the land claims of Chas. Wren, out of which has grown considerable trouble. On Wednesday, some of them were ejected by the citizens and escorted out of the county. Another party who still holds possession, is bound over to appear for trial at Steilacoom today.

Monday and Tuesday of the present week were cold days for this climate, the thermometer at one time going down as low as 16°. About a couple of inches of ice formed on the little pond near the Capitol.

Mr. A. M. Collins, late of Astoria, Warren county, died last Saturday, of heart disease. Mr. Collins was one of the oldest settlers of the Territory.

The committee appointed by the Legislature to select the Penitentiary grounds near Steilacoom, met last week and selected and surveyed the same.

The bark *Oswyn*, Capt. W. H. Marston, from San Francisco, went ashore on Whidby Island, about five miles east of Partridge Point, on Friday night, during a heavy squall. About fifty feet of her keel was knocked out, leaving the tide to flow in and out of the hull. It is thought she can be easily got off.

There are five vessels in port at Seabeck. The last one in, the *Fremont*, came up in eight days from San Francisco.

On Wednesday morning there was three inches of snow on the ground at Seabeck, but it soon went off.

The snow in the Spoqualmie Pass is eighteen inches deep.

The steamer *Hunt* went to Port Townsend on Thursday, taking the place of the *Olympia*, and returned yesterday morning.

Elwood Evans, Esq., will deliver the next lecture of the Library course, on Tuesday evening. Subject—Annexation of British Columbia.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The news by mail to the 18th, is in substance as follows:

KOOTENAI.

The winter had fairly set in, and active mining operations were for the most part suspended. Delaney has struck excellent ground on Perry Creek, while drifting in the bank, prospecting as high as $2 to the pan.

BIG BEND.

Nineteen men are wintering on French Creek. Two companies are at work, getting good pay. There were two feet of snow on French Creek. The frost had been light up to the 19th December, when Gold Creek and Columbia River were frozen over. Mr. Reid crossed Seymour Mountain on snow shoes and found about ten feet of snow on the summit. He saw no snow below Duck Ranch, 15 miles above Lomlcaps. There was no ice either in the rivers or lakes. The stock were doing finely.

WHALING OPERATIONS IN THE GULF OF GEORGIA.

Messrs. Douglass and Donaldson, of the Union Whaling Company—which has chosen for its operations the waters in and around Hawe Sound, a few miles north of the Fraser mouth—arrived in town yesterday. They say that four whales have been killed within a few days, and three of the four secured and turned into oil. One of the monsters was the largest taken this season. His blubber filled 100 314 gallon barrels with oil. The remaining two produced 45 barrels each. The total produce of the short cruise of three weeks is about 5,800 gallons, which, at 40 cents per gallon, puts $2,320 in the pockets of the enterprising spirits who form the company. Whales have become quite scarce in the Gulf of Georgia.

DISCOVERY OF A CINNABAR MINE.

Specimens of cinnabar, which assay 55 per cent. at the Government office, have been brought to town from a locality 25 miles distant from Victoria. A prospecting party will leave on Monday for the spot.

DEMAND FOR WHEAT.

A local demand for wheat for milling purposes has sprung up, a good price is offered, and still the farmers hang back and won't bring their crop in. We are forced to the conclusion that the farmers are holding off for an advance, or that they have no wheat.

SANDWICH ISLANDS.

[From the Honolulu Advertiser, Dec. 11.]

The schooner *Flying Dart* arrived on Thursday from San Francisco with dates two weeks old. She has a small cargo, mostly lumber, which is reported below. She is consigned to Bolles & Co. If she does not find a purchaser here, we understand she will proceed to Tahiti.

The bark *Miranda*, from Japan, brings an assorted cargo, the first of what we trust will prove a prosperous exchange of products. Among the importations are bricks, firewood, plants, stones, &c., all of which are salable. Bricks, especially, if they can be imported so as to sell at from $20 @ $24, according to quality, will find a steady market. We understand that those brought by the *Miranda* are equal to the best Victoria.

Whalers are leaving quite rapidly—sixteen having sailed the present week up to last evening, several of them being bound home, with more or less oil taken on freight.

Ship *Bertha*, which sailed hence on the 11th of November, had not arrived up to the 20th, fourteen days out.

The ship *Great Admiral* sailed from San Francisco, Nov. 17th, and declined to take a mail for Honolulu. She passed the port without being observed.

The ship *Johnes* sails to-day for New Bedford and Boston, with a cargo of oil and bone, and will be followed by the *John L. Dimmock* next week.

Bark *Parmagny* has been heard from, having put into Port Stanley, Falkland Islands, for what repairs is not stated.

The bark *J. W. Seaver* is advertised to follow the *Marion* in the Hawaiian packet line.

Baron, styled the French Garrick, contended that "the world might once a year see a Cæsar, but it takes a thousand years to produce a Baron!" But this vanity is perhaps excelled by the self absorption of Wordsworth, who, when informed that the next Waverley novel was to have Rob Roy for its hero, took down a volume of his verses, read his own famous lines to Rob Roy, and calmly said: "I do not see what more Mr. Scott can have to say on the subject!"

The *Call* says: Common observation proves that the harbor of San Francisco is gradually shallowing, at least in such parts as are near the windward side, and exposed to the effects of the sand and dust drifted into it during the long prevalence of our westerly winds throughout half of the year. Portions outside of the bulkhead are shallowed for some hundreds of feet in such an extent that a Whitehall boat would almost ground at low water.

The New Albany *Commercial* learns that the friends of the Hon. S. S. Cox are having a statue, life size, we believe, of that distinguished gentleman, executed by a celebrated artist at Rome.

UNION REPUBLICAN CONVENTION OF OREGON.

The Union Republican voters of the State of Oregon will meet at the City of Portland, at 12 o'clock M., on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1870, in Delegate Convention, for the purpose of placing in nomination a State Ticket to be supported at the approaching election in June, and the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before said Convention.

Counties will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Baker	7	Lane	12
Benton	10	Linn	18
Clackamas	12	Marion	24
Clatsop	3	Multnomah	20
Coos	4	Polk	11
Curry	2	Tillamook	2
Columbia	2	Umatilla	4
Douglas	12	Union	6
Grant	7	Washington	9
Jackson	10	Wasco	5
Josephine	4	Yamhill	11

The Committee recommend that the County Conventions for the election of Delegates be held on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1870.

By order of the State Central Committee.

M. P. BERRY, Chairman.

T. B. ODENEAL, Secretary.

Portland, January 29, 1870.

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DIED:

At Canyonville, Oregon, Jan. 10, 1870, of typhoid fever, Julia Emma, daughter of Samuel and Sarah J. Handsaker aged 12 years and 2 months.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7, 1869.

Dr. J. J. McBride—Having suffered with sciatic rheumatism some months, I was induced to use your "King of Pain." I take pleasure in recommending it to those afflicted with rheumatism. I know of several cases of neuralgia that have been cured by using it.

W. T. BALLOU, of Ellis, Barlett.

Card from Harbor Master.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7, 1869.

Dr. McBride—This is to certify that I have been troubled with neuralgia in my right arm and head for the past three months, and although I have had medical advice, and tried a number of remedies, none has relieved me until I tried Dr. McBride's "King of Pain," which has done me more good than all the other I have tried. JAMES B. HOUSEMAN.

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A CARD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10, 1869.

DR. McBRIDE—My Dear Sir: For the last six or seven years I have been afflicted with rheumatic pains from my knees down, embracing all the joints of ankles and toes. These pains have come upon me periodically every year, about this season of the year. My knees and ankles, and toe joints, and my wrists and finger joints would swell and leave me in the most agonizing pain, known only to those who have suffered from this dread malady. These pains would continue for a period of from three to four months every year, and they have been regular, unfailing annual visitors. I have been accustomed to apply for relief to the best citizens of San Francisco, and have not failed to use all the popular remedies known to the public. I would sometimes receive temporary relief, after long continued application, but it would never fail to return in a few days with increased severity.

About two weeks ago, while my pains were upon me, I saw you at the corner of one of our streets, and heard what you said about your "King of Pain." I confess that I listened to you with deep distrust. Indeed, I may say that I did not believe your statements. But I thought, it "it's only a dollar, and I'll patronize the quack to one dollar's worth." I bought a bottle and tried it first on my knee, which was fearfully swollen, and from which I suffered very severe pains. The second night I tried it again, and my dear Doctor, you can judge of my surprise, ecstacy and delight, all together, when I found on rising the second morning, that my pains were entirely gone, and the swelling entirely disappeared. My knee joints were as supple as when I was young. I calmly dressed with delight much to the amusement of my friends, who had been in the habit of regarding me as a decrepit old Thomastic. It has now been two weeks, and I have not felt the least symptom of return. I believe I am cured, and I feel so grateful to you that I offer you this statement, verified by my oath, to be used by you in whatever way you may think proper, and I feel it a duty to let others similarly afflicted know where they can find relief.

I am, yours, very truly, RAPHAEL L. OKAYSE.

State of California, city and county of San Francisco. On this 16th day of October, 1869, personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the city and county of San Francisco aforesaid Raphael Lockaye, known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing letter, and who being by me duly sworn, deposes and says the contents thereof are true.

T. W. TALLIAFERRO, Justice of the Peace.

TO THE PUBLIC

Grateful for the eminent services of Dr. J. J. McBride, I cheerfully make a statement of the following facts. For twelve months I had suffered from prostration of my nervous system, resulting in partial paralysis and almost total loss of sight. A score of physicians had abandoned my case as hopelessly incurable. I had even heard my days numbered by doctors and friends. In the agonies of my neuralgic pain, I sought the great "King of Pain." Under that healing influence, in one half hour I had obtained more medical aid than I had known for long, weary months. My sight was as much restored that I could read print, although I had exceeded a guide to find Dr. McBride's office an hour before. Before leaving him I had regained the use of my almost palsied limbs, and seemingly my strength had returned, while all those aches and pains, my constant companions, were dissipated and gone. It is now ten days since I undertook treatment with Dr. McBride, and I can say unhesitatingly that I am restored as I could not have expected to have been in so little time. My eyesight is most perfectly regained, my whole physical system corrected and in undoubted health.

My residence is in Reading, I do business at No. 65 Cambridge street, in this city, where I will willingly vouch in person for the truth of the foregoing to any one interested.

THOS. T. GREENWOOD.

P. S. I have done business in this city for twenty years. Thousands of citizens know me. T. T. G.

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TIONS for the destruction of our Republic exposed in more alarming to all true lovers of the Government.

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RECORDER'S COURT.—Yesterday, in the Recorder's Court, Hugh McGinnis, charged with assaulting Charley Davis, paid the fine of $10 and discharged.

F. Cregan made promises to abstain from drink and be a well-behaved and quiet citizen, and the charge against him for disorderly conduct was withdrawn.

GRAND DEBATE.—The debate between Todd and Arnaud, in this city, will take place in Armory Hall to-morrow evening, at half-past seven o'clock, and continue for eight evenings in succession. Both these gentlemen are able speakers, and a good debate will be likely to be elicited by them.

FOR THE DALLES.—It is thought that the boat from Dallas may be able to get up the river to-day, though there was yet some ice in the upper Columbia yesterday. The Oneonta will start on her usual trip to-day, and if she makes the connection with the boat, she will run regularly hereafter.

OVERFLOWED.—The wood-yard on Front street, which has been occupied by Jones & Dyer, for the purpose of attending to the business of Emmet Guard. He was not at the time, but his property has been seen of him since, nor has he been heard of him. He escaped from the island at the head of the river, and is supposed to have had a large amount of money on his person. We have the sympathy of the true living near Hillsboro. Considerable interest is felt by his friends here on account of the sudden and mysterious disappearance.

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CITY.

A BOARD OF TRADE.—The following pertinent observations foreguard to the organization of a Board of Trade in Portland are from the City Directory for 1870: "A Board of Trade is requisite when commercial matters would receive that attention which a congregation of ideas imparts by the collision and when the products of a country could be fully controlled, and many articles found for staple commodities which, under the present hap hazard system of doing business, are left to rot in the field or to destruction in the granaries of the State. Portland is the emporium of Oregon, hence it is but reasonable to expect that all movements for the expansion, protection or regulation of commerce, will originate here. It is a duty then, the merchants of Portland owe not only to themselves but to the entire State, to originate some general plan of action by which the commerce of the country shall be better regulated than heretofore. A scheme which will guarantee a market for the products of the country, so that agriculture may not be discouraged, and whereby our merchants may be enabled to import their supplies direct from manufacturers and Eastern importers." We believe the suggestion to organize a Board of Trade is a good one, and hope to see such steps taken as will tend to promote that object. Hitherto San Francisco, California has got credit for the whole part of Oregon's products, not only in the San Francisco market, but also in the Eastern States and Europe. For the credit of our State, we should endeavor to establish that reputation abroad to which the superiority of the productions of Oregon entitle her, we should take measures to claim what is justly due.

JURY LIST.—The following named persons were drawn as jurors to serve at the approaching February term of the Circuit Court for this county: H C Shattuck, occupation, farmer; E E Eshbauer, tanner; Michael Tracy, laborer; S Simon, merchant; Caleb R Lowe, farmer; Jas. O'Connor, merchant; Leonard Jewett, carpenter; G T James, draymann; F M Warren, J P; Chas. Currier, merchant; Ed Quackenbush, clerk; W W Burrage, surveyor; B F Smith, farmer; O W Burrage, surveyor; Augustus Taylor, clerk; J S Risley, grocer; Augustus Taylor, Jr., clerk; Nelson Cooper, George H Force, farmer; Jacob Clark, merchant; G Shindler, merchant; F Stidwell, clerk; H. Wilson, farmer; S G Reed, farmer; J. H Kitchling, farmer; B M Stevens, miller; John Green, gauman; F M Warren, clerk; S Blumauer, clerk; L W. Wallace, clerk; S Blumauer, clerk; Wm Abernethy, merchant; Wm Randall, farmer. W T Shanahan was drawn but having left the State, I N Walter, was drawn in his stead.

Some of the jurymen are citizens of Portland, some of the country. The term will begin on the third Monday, being the 14th day of February.

HEAVY RAIN.—The rain storm of night before last above is severe as that reported by telegraph to the East, was yet the heaviest experienced in this vicinity. In many places our streets were flooded, and pedestrians had to "head it" by going around a block or two, or wading water as much as a foot deep. At the corner of First and Yamhill streets the water was on a level with the side walk in front of and was deposited on the crossings by the receding flood. Should equally heavy rains fall up the Willamette at this point, we may look out for a rise of water in the Willamet, in the course of which the lecture to night at Harmony Hall, on the subject of Humanitarianism, by Mrs. Dr. Brant, is to be highly interesting, and all should attend. Aside from the interest which the speaker will be likely to invest her remarks, the proceeds of the reading room, free to all, for the proceeds of the lectures are intended to furnish rooms which commends itself to the attention of young men interested in seeing rational amusement provided for those in our midst who have not the privileges of a home life, and who are likely to seek some sort of amusement, and if they had choice, unless rooms of this kind or something similar, is thrown open to them.

MAN MISSING.—On last Thursday evening Andrew Jackson dressed himself at his room on Front street, which he had occupied jointly with A. G. Dyer, the name of attending the ball of the Pioneer Hook and Ladder Co. He was not at the ball and nothing has been seen of him since, nor has anything further been heard of him. He had lately come from his mines at the head of Grand Ronde river, and is supposed to have had considerable money on his person. We learn that he has relatives residing near Hillsboro. Considerable uneasiness is felt by his friends here on account of his strange and mysterious disappearance.

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In the libel of Hildebrandt et al vs Steamship *Oriflamme* and the Pacific Transportation Company, claim for damage, verdict had leave to file amended libel.

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FOR THE DALLES.—It is thought that the boat will leave Dalles may be able to reach the Cascades to-day, though there was yet considerable ice in the river. Columbia yesterday. The steamer Wasco will start on her usual trip this morning, and if she makes the connection with the Dalles she will run regularly hereafter.

GUTTERS.—The wooden gutters on some of the houses, were hardly of sufficient dimensions to carry off all the water that fell on Sunday. We noticed that that on Salmon street had been narrowed and washed out a quantity of the earth which had lately been thrown in by the sidewalk.

COURT.—In the Recorder's Court yesterday in the case of the State of Oregon vs "Spud Barney," in which the defendant is charged with having "larcenied" a sho gun, was continued until to-day on account of the absence of a material witness for the State.

MAIL.—The Eastern letter mail via the Columbia river route may reach here to day. But it is doubtful if any papers come unless the boats will make the connection at the Cascades.

OREGON.—We learn that several imperfectly filled cylinders filled with water during the hard frost night before last, putting people to inconvenience, and in some cases to loss.

PREVENTED.—Sickness in his family prevented the Hon. J H Mitchell from going to Salem yesterday, to lecture to the students of the University as he expected.

FOR OSWEGO.—A small side wheel steamer which has been undergoing repairs at the Willamette Iron Works was taken up to Oswego yesterday.

WILL MEET.—The United States Circuit Court for the District of Oregon Hon M P Deady Judge, will convene at 10 o clock this morning.

DOWN.—The telegraph lines to this city from the South and Eastern Oregon were down yester-

THE DISEASE PORK.—The following communication has been received from Dr Watkins in regard to the diseased pork of which mention was made yesterday morning.

Ed Oregonian—I have examined the diseased pork supposed to contain the trichinæ spiralis you handed me very carefully and have found no trichinæ. The trichinæ are worms lying in and between the muscular fibres as in a mature condition are about one eighteenth of an inch in length with a round thread like body and a small narrow head. This piece of pork is filled with small cysts one of which I have dissected and send you containing fluid and a small white body, looking at first like a drop of fat but which, on examination proves to be organized having a well developed head by which it attaches itself to the walls of the cyst which is the entozoon known as the Cysticercus Cellulosæ, which if not quite so dangerous as the "trichinæ, is as will be seen, not a good thing to have in the family.

The Cysticercus is simply an intermediate stage of the Tenia Solium or tape worm the history of which is exceedingly curious and interesting. The tape worm is hermaphrodite, all the organs for reproduction existing in full perfection in each segment or ring of the tenia. When these reproductive organs are matured the ring is thrown off, passes from the alimentary canal and the segment being decomposed sets free innumerable ovarian eggs which are thrown in every direction by air or water. They may be eaten by some animal, as was the case with our unfortunate pig. These ova, thus taken into the stomach burst and there proceeds forth small embryos of very minute size and extreme tenuity. They pass through the tissues by a kind of boring process, pass into the blood vessels, where they are borne by the blood current to all portions of the body—to the liver, mesentary or as in the specimen before us to the muscles. Here they become enclosed in little semi transparent oval cysts. They then are known by scientific men as strobila and this is precisely what we have here the Cysticercus Cellulosæ.

Suppose some person to eat these strobilæ in a piece of pork. Upon entering the stomach the cyst is digested by the gastric juice the strobilæ becomes attached to the mucous membrane and shortly from the strobilæ, segments are developed, which form one after the other till it becomes thirty or forty feet long being a full grown tape worm" and attaining this great growth in three or four months. By and by after throwing off many rings and innumerable eggs, old age or accident causes it to let go its hold and its strange romantic life, filled with so much change, comes to an end.

Cysts every way similar are found in the brains of cattle giving rise to what is popularly known as blind staggers. These cysts are known as "Cœnurus Cerebralis." Sometimes they have made their appearance in the eye of man destroying the sight.

These statements are no guess work for the ova of the tape worm have been given to calves, dogs, pigs, and to condemned criminals, and they invariably cause severe sickness and often death. The disease commonly known as measles in cattle and hogs is produced in this way, but always, upon examining the dead bodies of animals and men who have eaten these ova, these cysts are found. But still more, these cysts have been given as the food to cattle and to men condemned to death and in every instance the cysts have been found to be developed into tape worms. Cysts taken from the brain of cattle afflicted with staggers were given to a dog, and produced in due time tape worms. Then sections of these tape worms, or the rings containing ova were given to young calves, and in fifteen days the calves were sick with staggers, and upon examining the brains of these calves the cysts were found. Our pig had been feeding upon the segments of the tape worm thrown off by man or beast, and had eaten of them by the thousands. Now should any person eat this pork, he would soon be afflicted with tape worm. Of course the practical application of these facts is plain—an animal diseased as was this pig should be burned, not thrown out to hogs or dogs, or even buried to rot, where it might be devoured, but should be destroyed at once. Other practical thoughts will occur to every one. I cannot help just here, one word of moralising: How stupid it seems to some practical people to see a learned man spending time, talents education, and this for long years to learn the habits, history etc., of these worms but which when fully understood will explain many of the causes of disease in man and brute, and point out the way of safety.

I regret that I could not avoid these hard long words in this note, but I can assure you there are a great many with which I have not troubled your readers.

WM H WATKINS, M D.

TELEGRAPHED.—An ocean steamer was telegraphed as passing Martin's Bluff at ten minutes before seven o'clock last evening but up to the hour of going to press none had reached this city. It may have been either the *Montana* from San Francisco, or the *California* from Victoria both of which are now due, and will likely be in port this morning.

PERSONAL.—Hon. A B Meacham arrived on the boat yesterday afternoon from Salem.

THE WEST

A survey has been made of a considerable portion of Utah. There are no signs of coal or other minerals, but the soil is very fertile in the valleys.

T H Herman took the stand against Laura De Force Gordon on the woman suffrage question, at Vallejo, last week, but she speedily proved that he was not her man. He was incontinently "wiped out."

A great mass meeting was held at Corlone Thursday, January 6th, the object of which was to divide Utah Territory and annex the Corlone district to Idaho. It was a meeting of Gentiles, and is pronounced a success by the *Reporter*.

The *Inland Empire* of White Pine says that money is very scarce there, yet everybody is busy, new smelting works are starting every few days, vast quantities of base metal bullion are being shipped, and still nobody has any money in pocket.

The *Bulletin* is now printed on its new eight-cylinder Hoe press. That paper has thirteen editors and reporters, thirty compositors, twelve men in the press room, eight clerks, thirty carriers, and many correspondents. The cost for labor per week is $3,000 or $500 each day.

The Vallejo *Chronicle* devotes a column and a half to the lecture of Mrs Laura De Force Gordon on Woman's Suffrage in that city narrates the attempt of T H Herman to reply to her and concludes by giving the palm to the lady saying that the 'gray mare was the better horse.'

When the cry of hard times goes out from San Francisco the hard working miners about Grass Valley, says the Grass Valley *Union*, set about hoarding up their money no matter how much they are making at the time. Thus during all the tight times in the San Francisco money market recently, the miners got their regular pay every month, and the pay roll averaged at least $120,000 monthly, and the miners were more numerous than usual, yet money was hoarded away in stocking and holes, and became very scarce in consequence of the alarm felt.

A citizen of Sierra Valley writes to the Downieville *Messenger* as follows, over the date of Christmas: Nature also furnished us with another wonderful phenomenon—a phosphoric shower. On Christmas Eve while the rain fell in torrents persons who happened to be out in the storm observed a fine display of luminous globes attached to whiskers, hair and garments. The light emitted did not resemble electric sparks, but rather the pale light of the fire fly. The drops of liquid light could be detached by the hand and held out to view four or five seconds before disappearing. So far as heard from the phenomenon was only observed at a point one half mile east of Sierra ville, where the highway crosses a section of soil impregnated with mineral from the hot springs.

SMELT.—Mr Quinn of the Union Fish Market Washington street advertises fresh Smelt at three pounds for 25 cents and to restaurateurs and hotels he offers them at cheaper rates.

There is nothing more pleasing to him and in out than a neat fitting and good suit of clothing. The places here to get such are at Kuhn & Wheeler's, No 91 Front street. Their suits are all cut to made. Their stock of clothing is the largest in the city and will be sold lower than ever the next two months to make room for their extensive Spring stock now to arrive.

NOTICE.—Now that a few hundred dollars can be well invested in the Puget Sound Homestead Association. It will insure each shareholder an interest in the great city to be built at the terminus of Puget Sound. Over One Hundred Shares are already taken. Persons desiring to become Stockholders will do well to call soon at our Land Office.

ADVICE.—IF YOU WISH TO BUY A GOOD SUIT OF CLOTHING TAKE A FRIEND'S ADVICE AND GO TO THE MATHAR MANROSS ODDFELLOW'S TEMPLE FIRST STREET. Do so at once!

NOTICE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Portland, Jan. 24, 1870.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at the Court House door in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 26th day of February, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, the following described property, to wit: [illegible] Lot No. 1 in Block No. 1 in Couch's Addition to Portland, Oregon, and will execute a deed to the purchaser. Terms of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States. Dated this 24th day of January, 1870.

JOHN HAWLEY, Sheriff.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON,

Office, No 64 Front Street,

Adjoining the Telegraph Office, Portland, Oregon.

Special Collector of Claims.

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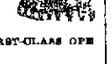

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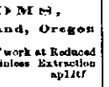

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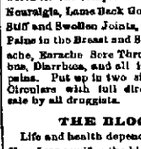

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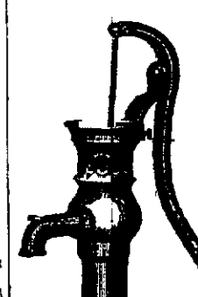

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BLANKETS

Of the following descriptions to be delivered at this city (or Salem) on or before the 15th May.

200 Scarlet Red Blankets 6 points.

200 " " " 5 "

200 White or Red Blankets.

The number of each of all except the 200 scarlet to be at the option of the contractor.

These Blankets must be of wool not weighing less than seven pounds to the pair (3½ pounds each Blanket) and to be subject to inspection by the Superintendent or Agent.

Bids will be received for all or any part of the above articles.

Payment to be made on delivery in currency and no bids call for coin or currency will be considered.

SAMUEL ROSS,

Superintendent Indian Affairs.

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BOOK PAPER.

JUST RECEIVED an invoice of 40 and 44 Book Papers. For sale low by HENRY L. PIT

Anecdotes of Edwin M Stanton

Dispatch Washington correspondent writes

It was one evening last April I am right many months after the war I went up to the War Department at the Adjutant's office in the morning and waited with others to see Secretary Stanton in the Adjutant's office There were a dozen persons or more and we had to sit for half an hour before work gave him a chance to come from his inner room When he came he stood as usual by the desk and heard each man's story or request or petition That one forth in coming forward was a roughly dressed elderly man, evidently embarrassed finding himself face to face with the power of the War Office He stated his business in a few words—one of his vessels had been used by the Government and was now out of repair at New Orleans he wanted permission to send down there from New York certain things cordage and canvass, in part for refitting the ship, so that he might get it to sea He offered no papers to show who he was or to prove the truth of his story and none were called for by the Secretary

Mr Stanton eyed the man with doubt and suspicion cordage and canvas were contraband of war and he thought the tale a mere cover for trade with the enemy He stood silent for a moment then broke out inwrath His first words I've a good mind to send you to the old Capitol The man dropped back a step or two, and then evidently supposing his request had been understood began to speak again—hesitating and stammering and making his case worse and worse with every syllable. The Secretary's voice was not loud but you could not help feeling that it was in tense with passion Not another word sir! How dare you come here with such a story! Permit to send cordage to New Orleans?—no sir, no sir, you'll get no such permit. Are you trading with the rebels, or just getting ready to trade? Permit? I'll give you a permit to the Old Capitol first! We've had too much of this shipping contraband goods I'll not give you a permit, sir—I'll watch you, and if I find you trading I'll shut you up, sir—shut you up, sir! Do you hear? Now go about your business, sir, and be careful that we don't get hold of you I'll not give you a permit—that's my answer

This view illustrates one side of Mr Stanton's character He was at all times arbitrary and unreasonable, but it was in the public service—he did not always have time or heart for considering private rights The old man left the office in confusion, and with tears falling down his cheeks The others of us stood in some fear and great amazement, for we knew very well what might be in that threat about the Old Capitol Some of us went away without making known any business—doubtless we all breathed freer once outside the building It was no time for asking favors, the dullest of us understood that well enough

Two or three days later I was at the Department again—this time after business hours, about 5 o'clock in the evening The Secretary saw me in the Adjutant's room, and called me to the private office. "You were here the other day when a man wanted permission to send some supplies down to New Orleans?" I answered that I was. "And you remember what took place then?" I confirmed to say that none of us who were present would forget the morning "Well, well—never mind that; I was very unjust to that man, and I want to find him again I felt sorry after he went away—I looked into his case, and he's served the country we wanted his vessel, and he let us have it for almost nothing, it is out inasmuch to put it in order He don't want a permit, but I ought to apologize to him I've got his name—do you know if he's in town, and where he may be found? Happily I did know—he was at the hotel, much cast down and dejected 'Will you go and give him my respects, and ask him to come up to my house at six o'clock—or stay, I'll send a man with you' And he called a clerk or messenger, "This man will show him where I live, you tell him I want to make him an apology—tell him what I've said to you It was wrong and unjust for me to speak to him as I did" We found the old gentleman at dinner He started and turned pale when I said he was wanted by Mr Stanton but I soon made him understand how he would be received When he returned from the Secretary's house he was in an ecstasy of delight—"He's a good man, and can have whatever I've got that will help on the war for the old flag under which I've sailed so long"

One evening we received a long report from our correspondent in the field before Fredericksburg. It was a story of a battle and a defeat. We wanted permission to send something of it to the Advertiser that night by telegraph. To get that we went to Mr Stanton's house. He was at dinner when my friend's card was presented Theservant came out to say that he would finish his dinner unless our business was urgent. We returned word that we had a letter from the front with important news, but would wait his pleasure or convenience. He came at once asked about the report, how it got, and by whom it was written "Now I'll sit down and you may read it to me—I shall see what's in it quicker, so, than I shall if I read it myself" Just as my friend began reading, little Ella of four or five years came running out from the dining-room and stood by her father's chair He put up his arm tenderly about her, and she nestled there while the long story of war and blood and death and defeat was read. It was a picture I can never forget—the strong man and the little child so together. I think of it always when I hear him spoken of as without feeling or human sympathies.

Toward the end of the letter was mention of a young lieutenant who had died bravely in action. "Read that again," said the Secretary And when it had been read he answered, "As good a boy as I ever knew with a good woman for a mother," speaking the words with much emotion When the reading was over he told us now we might use the report We rose to leave, but he asked us to wait a few minutes and engage him There was a sweet light in his eyes as he entered, and a grave reverence in the tone of his voice when he handed us a letter 'It is to his mother! will you mail it for me? I want it to go forward to-night.'

They knew not this man who call him harsh and cruel. The Secretary was stern and rigid in his duties, the man was simple and loving and true-hearted. History will tell of the officer's cool head, and responsibilities some of us must care to keep, in mind the friend and person as he was in all his private relations, warm and upright and helpful and of gracious spirit.

SOUTHERN OATH TAKING —A gentleman who has been a good deal in the South since the war, and who knows Southern sentiment and character pretty well, records the following observation, as to the worth of the oaths of loyalty imposed upon ex-rebels—speaking in general terms

"One of the most singular perversities of human nature is the disregard for oaths which pervades the South The taking of an oath to support the Constitution of the United States is regarded as lightly as accepting an invitation to drink Ironclad oaths specially devised to more thoroughly bind that which forms the basis of renewed allegiance are but so many 'unconstitutional trivialities which no white man is bound to respect

The consequence is that thousands of white rebels who fought under the stars and bars and who would gladly take up arms against the government again, are voters in the Southern States Such men are those who support the Conservative tickets for the most part. The ex rebel leaders teach this doctrine to their deluded followers To take an unconditional Yankee oath is no perjury It is but political oppression and devoid of moral force Is it, then any wonder that Congress appreciating this plain fact seeks by special legislation for the reconstruction of such States as Georgia to retain the power in the hands of the truly loyal people rather than allow it to pass by perjury into the hands of the ex rebel.

A handsome girl at Utica went crazy the other day, because her pa wouldn't let her marry a man six feet high and red headed

George W Dee and his daughter a few days ago, skated from Simcook to Manchester N H, eleven miles in one hour

From Alaska Indian War at Fort Wrangel Capt Leon Smith Shot and Killed

From the British Colonist Jan

The steamship Fideliter arrived last night from Victoria Alaska bringing the following important news

On Christmas day last there was a terrible occurrence at Fort Wrangel, resulting in the death of Capt Leon Smith and the killing of several Indians with fatal results The facts of the case as gleaned from the officers of the steamer Fideliter appear to be as follows The whole of the population had assembled at the Fort to celebrate the day, it being the time honored custom of keeping Christmas day and some appear to have been making free use of the intoxicating cup Among the latter number was an Indian who in the afternoon of the day commenced a brutal attack upon his wife for which act he was taken in custody by the proper authorities, but upon his promising to go home and not to commit any further breach of the peace was released by Captain Burroughs In the meantime his wife had been taken into the house of one of the residents and in consultation with the released prisoner learning where his wife was he went to the house and tried to force her away Mrs Burroughs wishing to prevent the brute from further ill treating his wife tried to protect the latter from his violence upon which the drunken man immediately seized hold of the lady's hand and bit her thumb right off He then made his escape to the ranch Upon Captain Burroughs being informed thereof he immediately sent a party of soldiers to apprehend him but upon the soldiers going to the ranch the Indian refused to surrender himself to them and his tillicums appear also to have resisted the soldiers A skirmish ensued which ended in the Indian being shot dead and one or two others badly wounded by the soldiers The same evening Captain Leon Smith a storekeeper being outside his house after dark was shot as it was afterwards discovered by one of the friends of the Indian who had been shot The following day Captain Burroughs demanded the surrender of the assassin which was refused They therefore commenced to shell the ranch towards evening, one of the chiefs approached the garrison bearing a flag of truce The firing was suspended He begged that the houses might be spared and promised to surrender the murderer He was allowed a certain time for that purpose He went and returned with the culprit who was tried and hung and was kept hanging for twelve hours It is said the prisoner declared upon the scaffold that he went with the determination of shooting the first white man he came across which happened to be the unfortunate Captain Smith against whom he had no ill feeling He said he was proud of what he had done and when the rope was adjusted round his neck, he volunterily jumped off the scaffold and thus became his own executioner Captain Smith lived some few hours after he was shot He has left a widow and two children to mourn his loss He is said to have served during the late war as an officer in the Confederate Navy and was highly respected by all classes of the community in which he has lately been moving. Great excitement still prevails at the place

Dr Livingstone

HIS WORK NEARLY COMPLETED—AN INTERESTING LETTER.

The Bombay *Gazette* of November 20 publishes an interesting letter from Dr Livingstone, dated May 30, and received at Zanzibar by Dr Kirk Her Majesty's Consul on the 4d of October last.

'UJIJI May 30 1869

MY DEAR DR. KIRK This note goes by Musa Kanasla who was employed by Koanli to drive the buffaloes hither but by driving them unmercifully in the sun and tying them up to save trouble in herding they all died, before he got to Unyanyembe He witnessed the plundering of my goods and got a share of them and I have given him beads and cloth sufficient to purchase provisions for himself on the way back to Tanzibar He has done nothing here He neither went near the goods here nor tried to prevent their being stolen on the way. I suppose that pay for four months in coming, other four of rest, and four in going back would be ample but I leave this to your decision I should not employ him to carry my mail back nor can I say anything to him for he at once goes to the Ujijians and gives his own version of all he hears. He is untruthful and ill conditioned, and would hand off he mail to any one who wished to destroy it.

The people here are like the Kiwa traders, haters of the English Those Zanzibar men whom I met between this and Nyassa were gentlemen and treated with honor. Here as in the haunts of the Kiwa hordes sharing is a series of frays, and they dread exposures by my letters. No one will take charge of them I have got Thani bin Suelim to take a mail privately for transmission to Unyanyembe. It contains a check on Ritchie Steuart & Co., of Bombay for 2,000 rupees, and some forty letters written during my slow recovery I fear it may never reach you. A party was sent to the coast two months ago. One man volunteered to take a letter secretly but his master warned them all not to do so, because I might write something he would not like. He went out with the party, and gave orders to the headman to destroy any letter he might detect on the way Thus though I am good friends outwardly with them all I can get no assistance in procuring carriers, and, as you will see, if the mail comes to hand, I sent to Zanzibar for fifteen good boatmen to act as carriers, if required, eighty pieces of merikani, forty pieces of kaniki twelve fundsalas of the beads called jamsam, shoes, etc and I have written to Seyd Majid begging two of his guards to see to the safety of the goods here into Thani bin Suelim's hands or into those of Mohammed bin Sahib

As to the work to be done by me it is only to connect the sources which I have discovered from 500 to 700 miles south of Speke and Baker's with their Nile The volume of water which flows north from latitude 12 south is so large, I suspect I have been working at the sources of the Congo as well as those of the Nile I have to go down the eastern line of drainage to Baker's turning point Tanganyika, Nyigo Chowambe (Baker's) are one water, and the head of it is 400 miles south of this The western and central lines of drainage converge into an unvisited lake west or south west of this. The outflow of this whether to Congo or Nile I have to ascertain The people of this, called Manyema, are cannibals, if Arabs speak truly I may have to go there first and down Tanganyika if I come out uneaten and find my new squad from Zanzibar I earnestly hope that you will do what you can to help me with the goods and men £400 to be sent by Mr Young must surely have come to you through Fleming & Co I am etc etc

DAVID LIVINGSTONE

A long box paid for to Nyu was left at Unyanyembe and so with other boxes

General Relief Committee I O O F of Portland, Oregon

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(19) Nineteen half pounds of Prepared Opium

Any person or persons having their respective property are required to appear and show their interest & claims of ownership within twenty days from the publication of this notice A H NEMAN
Collector Customs
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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

PORTLAND [illegible]
San Francisco [illegible]

Wholesale and Jobbing Prices

PORTLAND, Jan 22 1870

ALCOHOL—Kastor $3 00; Castor oil in bbls [illegible]
BACON—Sides [illegible] hams 14@16c; Clear sides [illegible]
BUTTER—Oregon solid [illegible] in brine 28@30
fresh rolls, 30c; Isthmus, 35@37½
BUILDING MATERIALS—New Jersey Cement [illegible] $5 75; Knapp's [illegible] $4 50@$5 00; Santa Cruz Lime [illegible] $4 75; San Juan do $2 50; Calcine Plaster $5 [illegible]
BEANS—White [illegible] 4cts Red 4cts Pink 4cts
Small White 5½; Bayou 4½; Butter [illegible]
BROOMS—[illegible] $1 25 [illegible]
No 1 $5 75; No 2 $4 75; No 3 $3 75
CANDLES—[illegible] Sperm 18c Kelly's 14c; Star 13c Wards 10c; Hark ness 2s Mac's 18; Solar 15c
COFFEE—Rio 20½@[illegible] Costa Rica 16@21½ Java, Mocha Jones Preferred Java 40 Chas tron 30 Kona 40
DRIED FRUIT—Oregon Apples in bulk 4½ in bags 5½ to California peaches new 13 cts
FLOUR—Superfine $5 00; Extra $6 00; Superfine $4 00@4 50; Oregon Mills $5 00 Standard Country brands $4@4 50; Champoeg Mills $5 00 Mission Mills $5 00 Commercial $5 Dayton extra $6 00, do superfine $4 00@4 50; Oregon Mills $5 00 Standard Country brands $4@4 50; Champoeg Mills $5 00 Mission Mills $5 00 McKenzie's $5 00
HARDWARE—Iron Axles 10@21; Carriage springs 22@23 Axe Handles $4 00@4 50 Pick handles $4 00@$4 50; Sledge do $3 00@4 00 Bar Lead 12½c Sand Paper $6 Post Augers and Bits $6 Hollow ware 30% discount Rifle Powder $1 50@2 00; Anvils Armitages 16 Sledges cast steel, 50 bellows $60@65c Buck Newhouse traps $4 50@$24 00 Grindstones 4½c Cable Chain 9 to 14 Thimble Skeins $8 00@9 00 Scale Beams 37½ per C Hollow Scales, Fairbanks' $14 00 Grocers do do $12 50
HORSE NAILS—Dobbin (hand made) 46@50 Putnam (pressed) 37½@40 Griffin (pressed) 36@40
LARD—Oregon 10 tb cans 12@13c in bulk 10@11c
MISCELLANEOUS—Raisins new fresh layers in boxes $5 00; boxes $6 75; ½ boxes $3 00 Currants 9 tb Figs Forest Lowders, P & M $28 ½ gross Donnelly's, do $18 Taylor & Young's, do $28; Salaratus Barton's 10c ₰ tb; Bubbles 11c; Oysters Fields, $3 50 McLarren's, $3 75 Myers $3 75 Mackerel No 1 bbls $17 00@17 Kits No 1, 4 75 California cheese 20@22
IRON—Round Bar ¾ to 2 inch 5c Small Bar 6½@7c 10 N ray Blue Steel 8 American 3½ Nail Rod 11
NAILS—First brands $5 25 ₰ keg Fine Finishing brads $6 00 Lath 3d fine $10 50 Boat 8p fine $8 50
OILS—Kerosene Oil—Downer's 75c ₰ gal Pearl 75c, Polar 75c, Stella's 75 other brands, 70 Lard Oil, 5 7@2 20 gal Whale Oil Strained $2 Chinese Nut Oil, $1 25 Polar Oil 90c Porpoise Oil Hayward & Coleman's $1 25, Tanner's Oil 80c Neatsfoot Oil $2 10 Sperm Oil $2 50 Castor Oil $2 75 Linseed Oil boiled $1 60; raw $1 40.
POWDER—Dupont's 50 for ₰ cans 65 for ½ ₰ cans; Rifle in 25 ₰ kegs $8 00 Sporting in 5th cans $3 50 each Eagle Duck 3, 4 and 5, per keg $4 50; Hazard's Kentucky rifle 55c for 1 ₰ cans 65c for ½ ₰ cans Canister rifle 55c for ₰ cans 60c ½ ₰ cans do per ¼ keg $8 50 Blasting ₰ keg of 25 lbs $2 25 Dupont's Safety fuse per M ft $15 50; single tape fuse per M ft $18 25
ROPE—1 or 1½ to 10@20c ₰ fathom
SALT—Liverpool fine $4@4 50; do coarse, $2 50 Carmen Island $3 50; Ground Rock $2 50 Dairy $3 50; San Quentin $3 50.
SALMON—Half bbl $6 00; bbls $10
SUGARS—Sand Island, 9@11c San Francisco Yellow C 13@13½; Golden C half bbls 13@13½; Powdered 17, Crushed in bbls 16½ in half bbls 16½
SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@ [illegible]; Colgate, 11½; Castile 12c Cal brands 7½@8c
SYRUPS—Heavy Goldenin bbls 0@80c ₰ gall 5 gall kegs 80@90 ₰ gallon San Francisco and Pacific in kegs 87½c half bbls 85 in bbls 80 Dry Refinery 90c ₰ gal California Refinery extra, 90@92½ ₰ gallon

Weekly Retail Family Market

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DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS
Oranges ₰ doz 75@1 00
Lemons per doz 1 00
Green Apples 50c@1 00
Pears per box 1 50@2 00
Dried—
Pears, ₰ lb [illegible] 8@10c
Peaches ₰ lb [illegible] @10
Prunes ₰ lb 12½
Limes ₰ doz 37½@50
Plums pitless 20@25
" with pits 12½
Figs Cal, ₰ lb 20@25
Smyrna 33
Prunes in bulk 20
" in jars 35
GROCERIES
Coffee —
Green O R ₰ lb 22
" Java 28@30
Jones prepared, Retail
" Java 40
" Charters 35
" Rio 30
Sugar—Crushed 18
" Pulverized 18
Golden C 14
" Granulated 18
" Yellow C 13½@13¾
Islands 14
Syrups in kegs ₰ gal $1 00
" per gal 1 15
Tea—Fine Hyson $1 50
" Imperial $1 50
" Old $100@1 25
" Gun Powder $1 75
" Japan 90@1 25
" Black 62½@1 25
PROVISIONS
Home country cut 17
" Butcher's 20
" Butcher's and Packers (Sugar Cured) 20@22
Smith Brand & Co 19@22c
Crown 28

Domestic Produce Market.

PORTLAND, Jan 23 1870

Apples ₰ box [illegible] 25@50
Apples dried ₰ lb [illegible] 4@5
Wheat, new white ₰ bushel [illegible] 71@73
" Red ₰ bushel [illegible] 60@65
Oats ₰ bushel [illegible] 40
Corn meal W W ₰ 100 lbs [illegible] 4 25
Country ₰ 100 lbs [illegible] 3 75
Ground Feed ₰ ton [illegible] 22 5 @25 50
Peaches dried ₰ lb [illegible] 8½
Bacon ₰ lb [illegible] 14
Hams [illegible] 16
Shoulders [illegible] 6@7
Lard in tins [illegible] 12
Lard in kegs [illegible] 10½@11
Eggs ₰ doz [illegible] 30@32
Butter [illegible] 26@30
Chickens young ₰ doz [illegible] 6 00@6 50
" grown ₰ doz [illegible] 6 00@4 50
Hams ₰ 100 lbs [illegible] 18 00@20 25
Wool ₰ lb [illegible] 18@20
Hay baled ₰ ton [illegible] 14@15
Hay from wagons [illegible] 12 50
Hides salted ₰ lb [illegible] 6
" dry [illegible] 9@11
Furs—Fisher [illegible] 1 50@2 00
" Fox, cross [illegible] 1 00@2 00
" red [illegible] 0@1 00
Marten prime dark [illegible] 3 00@4 00
" pale [illegible] 1 00@4 00
Mink dark northern [illegible] 50@1 00
" pale [illegible] 50@1 00
Muskrat [illegible] 10
Otter prime dark [illegible] 1 50@3 00
Coon [illegible] 12½
Wolf, large [illegible] 75@1 50
Wild Cat [illegible] 25
Skunk [illegible] 12½
Fur Seal [illegible] 1 50@2 50
Beaver, dark per lb [illegible] 7 50@1 00
Bear black [illegible] 2 00@4 00
" brown [illegible] 4 00@5 00
Otter [illegible] 22

Cotton Goods and Woolen Market

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OREGON WOOLEN GOODS —*Blankets* Oregon gray No 1 $9 00 No 2 $8 50; No 3 do $4 25 do white No 1 extra $12, No 1 $8 50@9 00 No 2 $7 No 2, blue $7 50 No 2 green $7 50 Wincanna No 1 $11 No 2, $8 50 Whitehall No 1 $11 00@$1 25; 4-4 White do 75c 3-4 White do 60 @65c Plain assorted colors flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled flannel do 50@55c Grey Mixed Shirting $1 00@$1 40 Hard times 90c Grey Doeskin $1 00 Fancy do $1 10 Drab Mixed Beaver $1 25; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@$1 40 Tweeds 75@85c Yarns $1@1 25
COTTON GOODS —*Sheetings*—Standard 12½@13½c Bleached 14@15c; bleached ¾ to ⅞ 11@12c *Drillings*—Bleached undressed 14@22c; bleached ¾ to ⅞ 11@12c *Denims*—10@12c Hickory stripes 13@15c *Prints*—Fancy 11c Merrimac 11c Delaines 18 *Tickings* 4 qr 25@28c 30 ch 18@20c Linsey 24@35c 10½ Touch 50 Oakland heavy shirting 8c ₰ yard 30 Buckskin 12½@13½c ₰ yard

Cattle and Live Stock Market

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CATTLE—Best cattle $6 00@7 00 ₰ cwt not
SHEEP Good mutton sheep $2 00@2 50 ₰ head
PORK [illegible]
VEAL [illegible]

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J C MOORE Sheriff
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